Horticultural Trade and the European Union*

Part 1: EU Horticultural Imports: A Global View

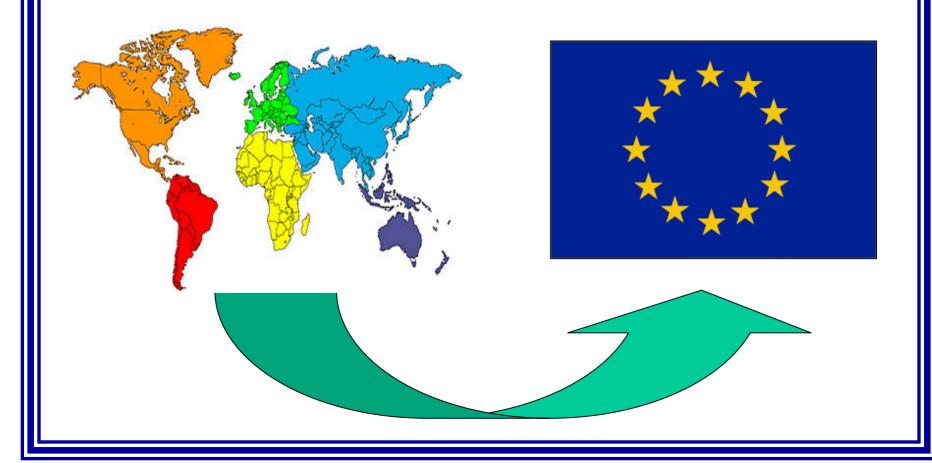
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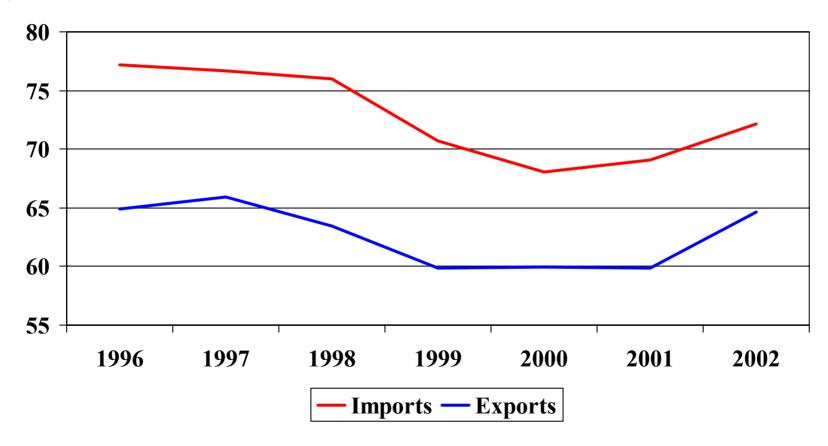
* The U.S. Department of Agriculture defines horticultural products to include: fresh and processed fruits; vegetables; tree nuts; juices; wine and wine products; hops; nursery products and cut flowers; ginseng; essential oils; beer; and other miscellaneous horticultural products.

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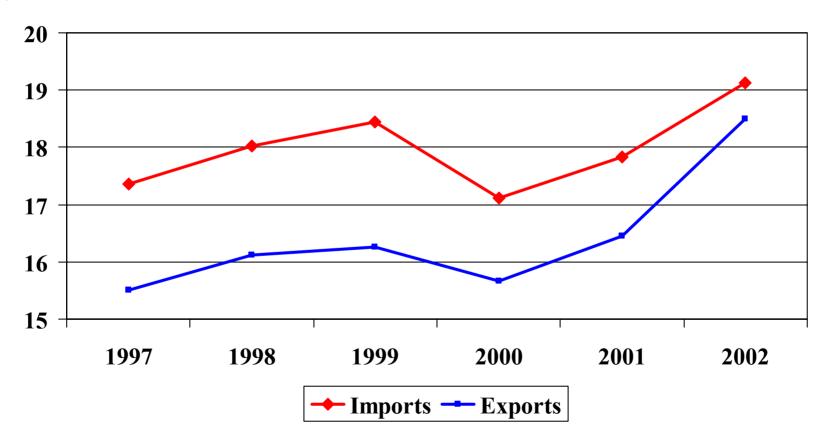
EU Total Agricultural Trade with Third Countries

\$ Billion



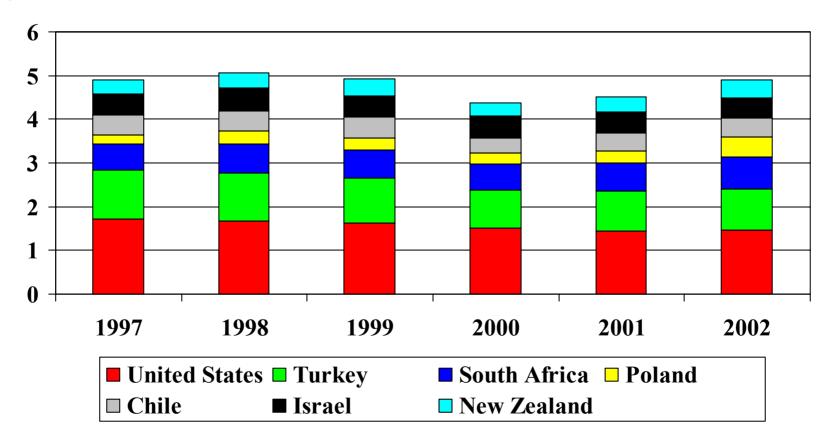
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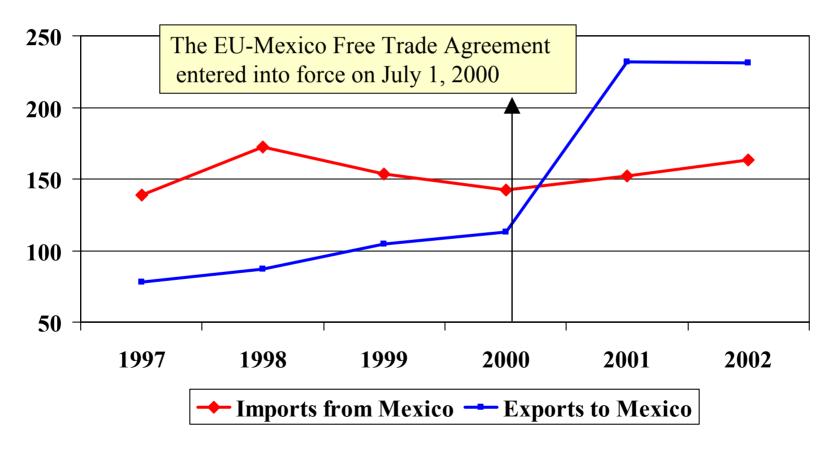
EU Horticultural Product Imports by Top Suppliers

\$ Billion

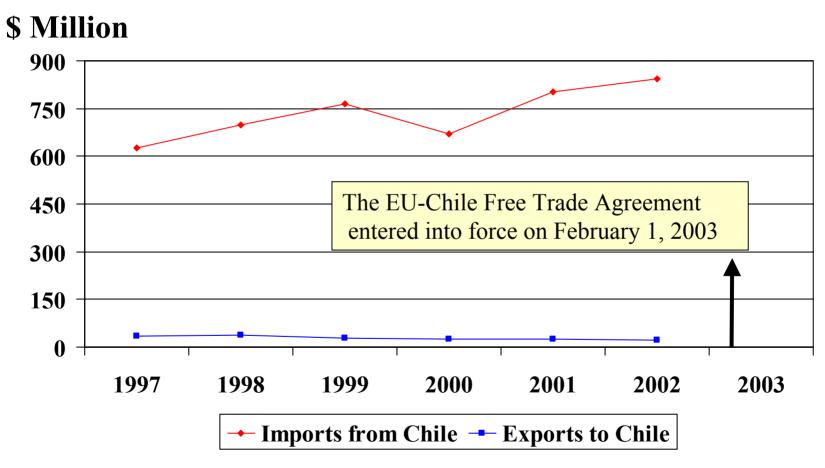


EU Horticultural Product Trade with Mexico

\$ Thousands



EU Horticultural Product Trade with Chile

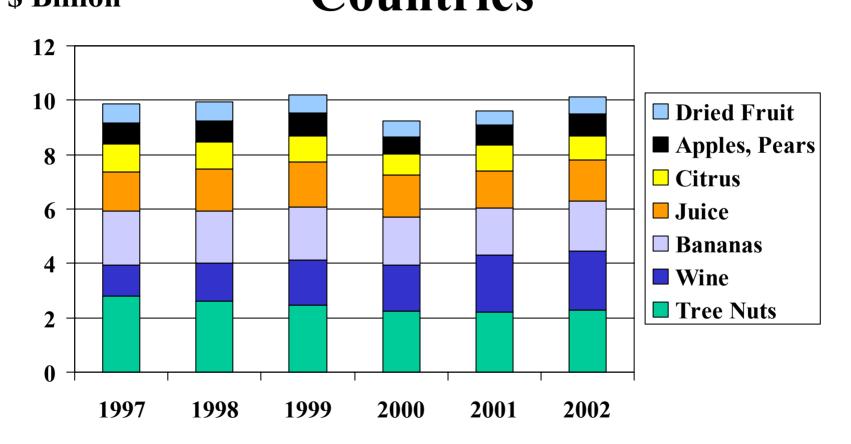


2003 Applied EU Tariff Rates for Selected Horticultural Products

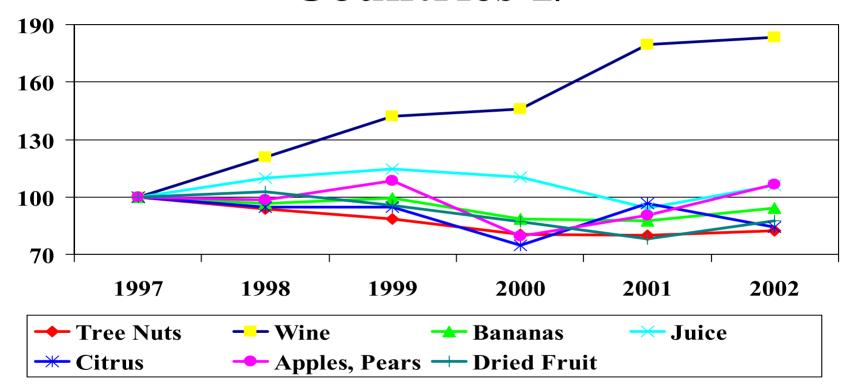
Commodity	HS # (s)	Rate	Commodity	HS # (s)	Rate
Oranges	080510	3.2-16.0 5/	Pistachios	080250	1.6
Grapefruit	080540	1.5-2.4	Walnuts	08023	5.1
Lemons	80550	6.4 6/	Corn p/p	200580	5.1
FCOJ	200911	33.6 7/	Broccoli	070410	9.6-13.6 14/
OJ, nt frz	200919	33.6 8/	Lettuce	070511	10.4-12 15/
Apples	080810	4.0-11.2 9/	Tomatoes	070200	8.8-14.4 16/
Pears	080820	5-10.4 9/	Raisins	080620	2.4
Cherries	080920	12 11/	Prunes	081320	9.6
Peach/Nect	080930	17.6 12/	Wine	22042	13.1-32 EUR per hl
Strawberry	081010	11.2-12.8	Potato x sd	070190	9.6-13.4
Grapes	080610	11.5-17.6 13/	Potato chip	200520	14.1
Almonds ns	080211	5.6	Frz f/f	200410	17.6
Almonds sh	080212	3.5			

Notes: Information contained in this table is intended for illustrative purposes. Accuracy of individual entries is not guaranteed. Shaded areas represent import tariffs higher than the United States. 5/plus entry price during the period 125-5-31: max 71 EUR/ton 6/plus entry price: max 256 EUR/ton 7/plus 206 EUR/ton 8/plus entry price: max 238 EUR/ton 9/ plus entry price: max 274 EUR/ton 11/plus 0.12-0.33 EUR/kg 12/plus entry price during the period 61-930: max 130 EUR/ton 13/plus entry price during the period 721-1120: max 96 EUR/ton 14/from 1/1-14 and 12/1-12/1: 96 percent of the cif value, minimum of 1.6 Eu per 100 kg/net and 4/15-11/30: 13.6 percent, minimum of 1.6 EUR per 100 kg/net 15/from 1/1-3/31 and 12/31: 10.4 percent minimum 1.3 EUR per 100kg/gross; and 4/1-11/30: 12 percent, minimum 2 EUR per 100 kilograms 16/plus entry price: 298 EUR/ton.

EU Imports of Selected Horticultural Products from Third Selected Countries



Indexed EU Imports of Selected Horticultural Products from Third Countries 1/

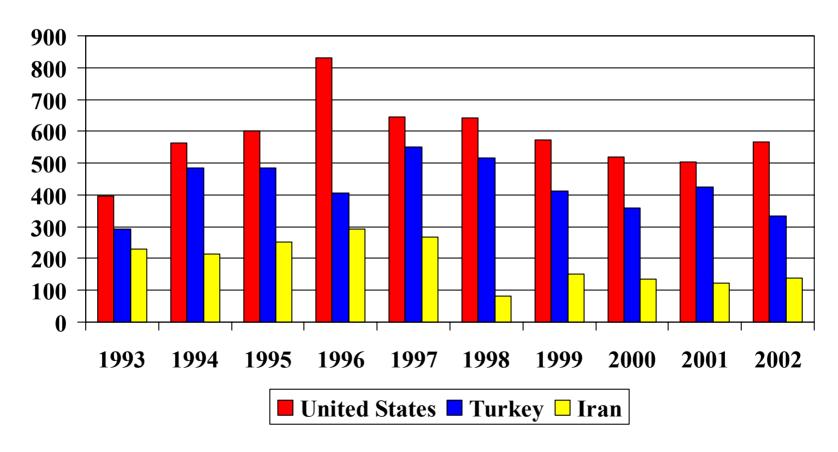


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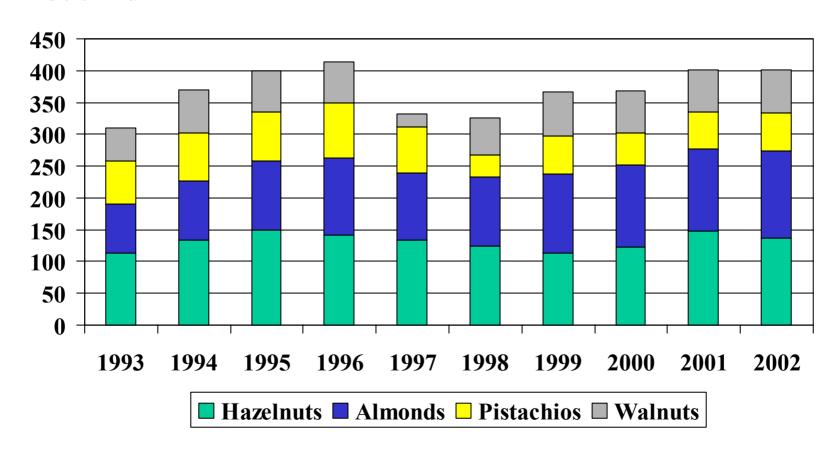
EU Imports of Edible Tree Nuts By Country (HS 0802)

\$ Million



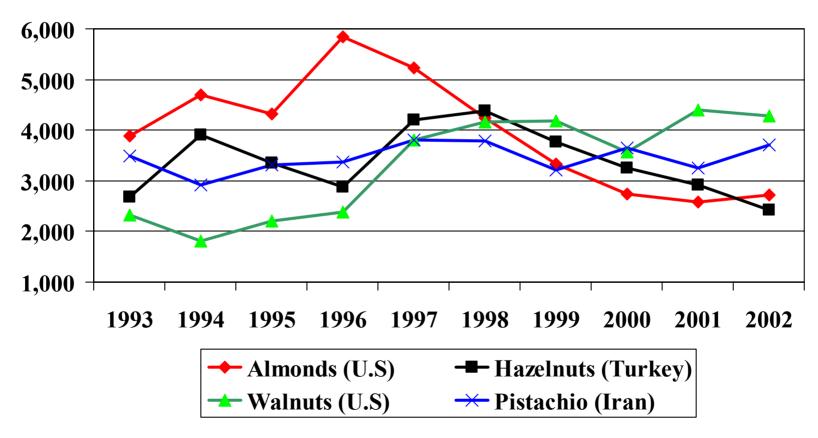
EU Imports of Leading Tree Nuts

Thousand MT

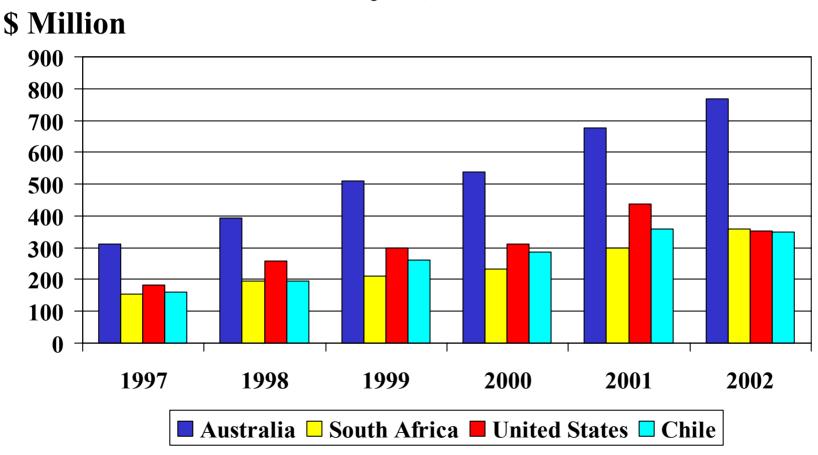


EU Import Unit Values of Shelled Nuts (By Primary Supplier)

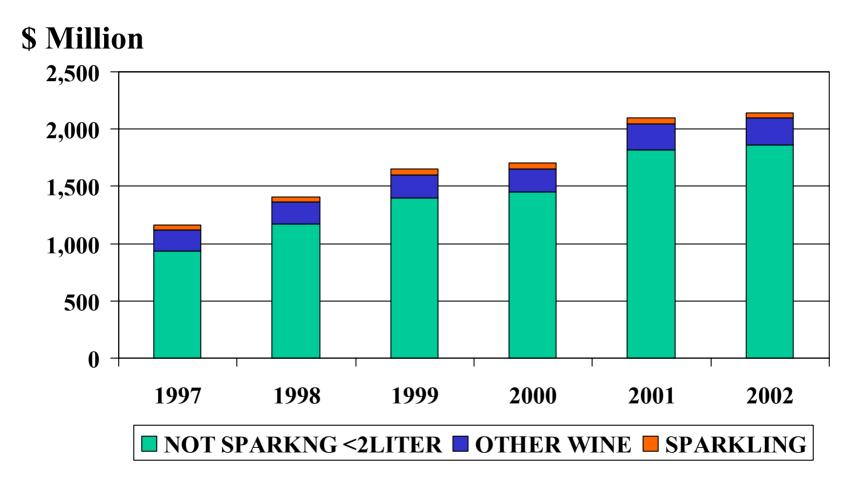
US Dollars/Ton



EU Wine Imports by Supplier Country (HS 2204)

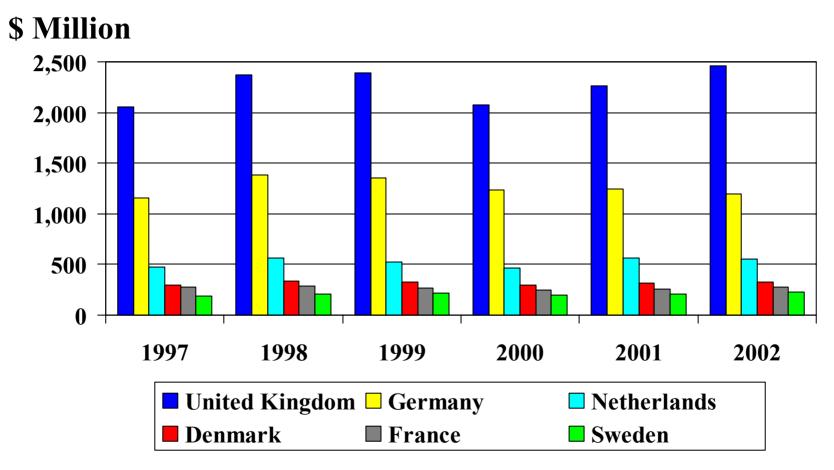


EU Wine Imports by Type

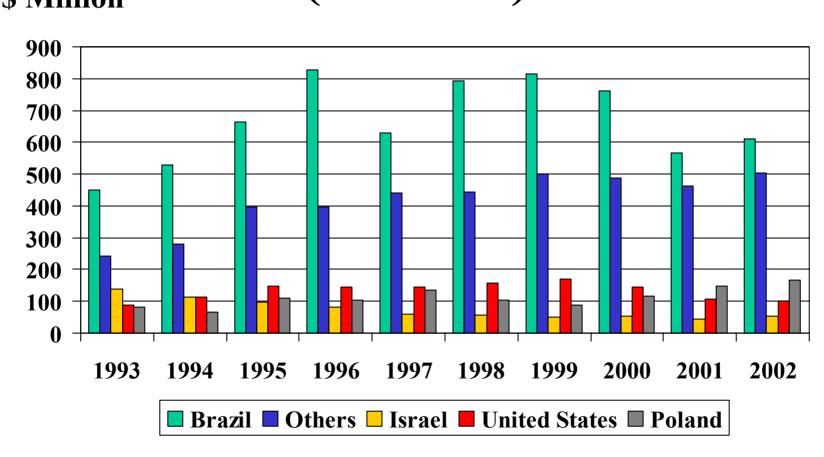


Wine Imports by Principal EU Countries

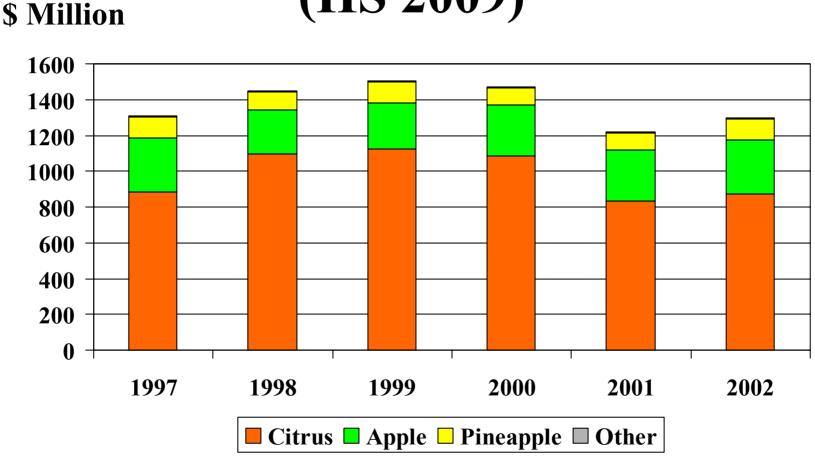
(HS 2204.21- Table and Fortified Wine in Containers 2 Liters or Less)



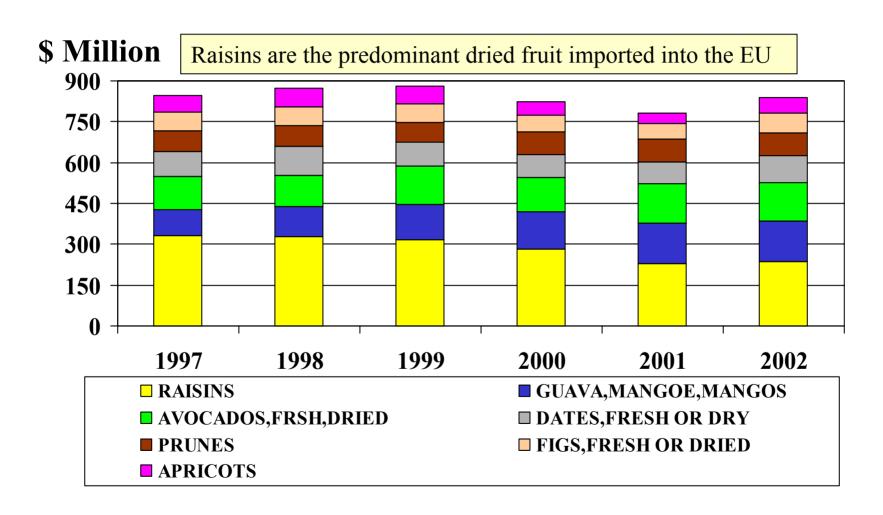
EU Imports of Fruit and Vegetable Juices by Supplier (HS 2009)



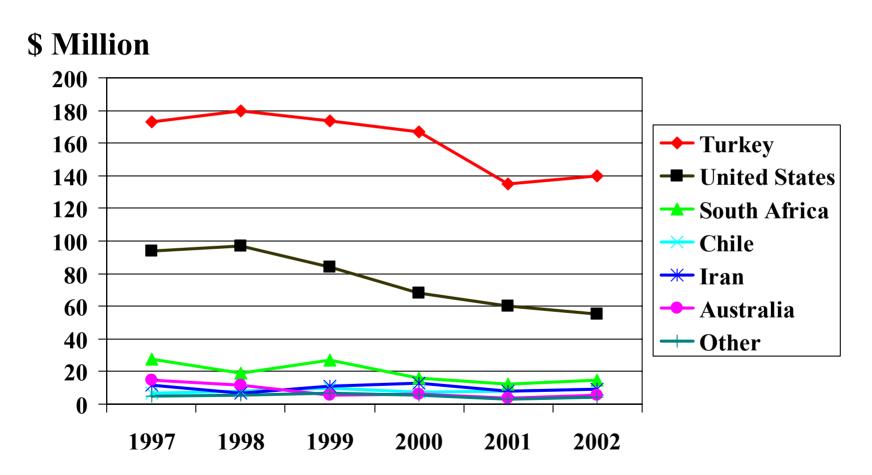
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EU Imports of Dried Fruit

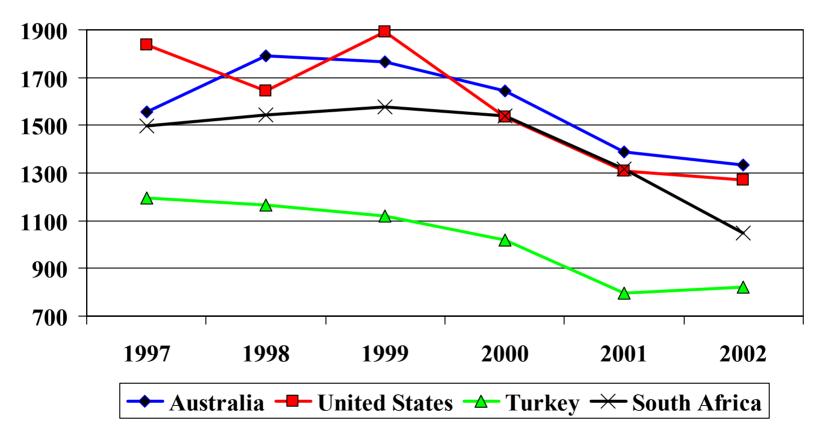


EU Raisin Imports by Supplier

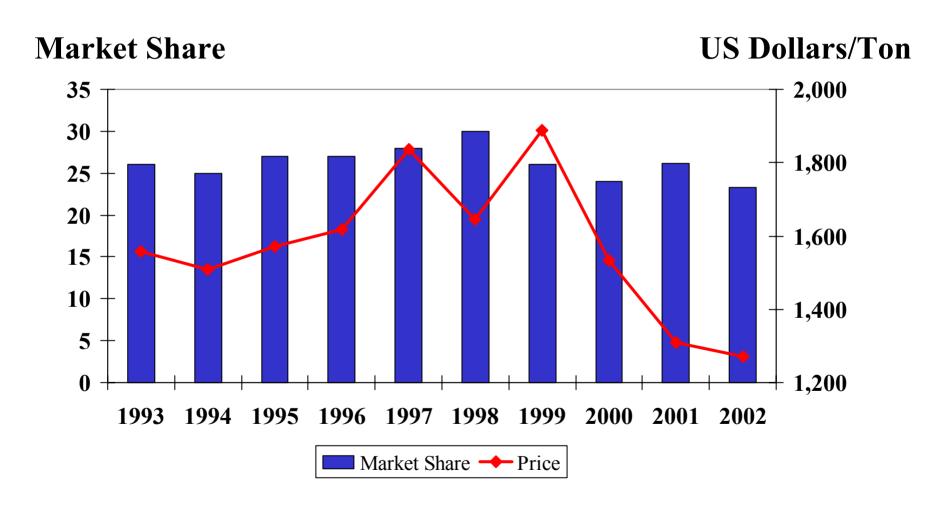


Unit Values of Raisins from Major Suppliers to EU

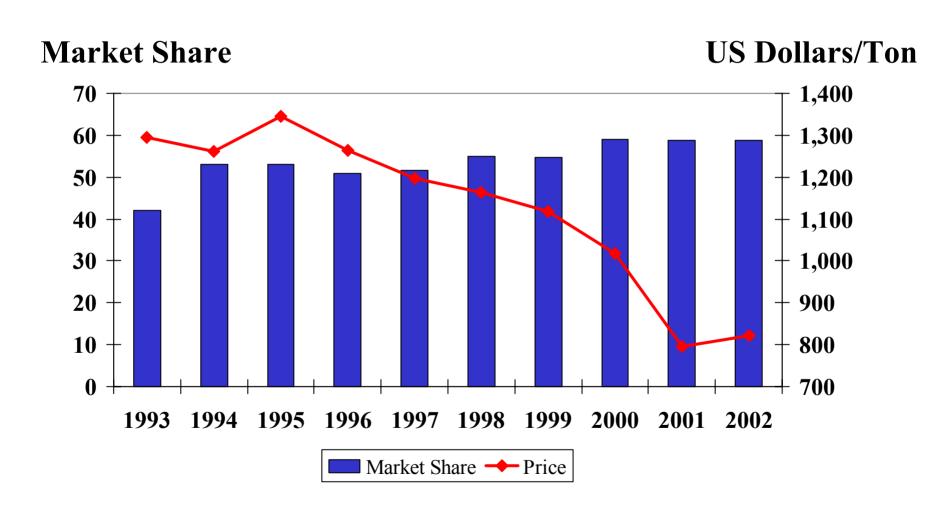
US Dollars/Ton



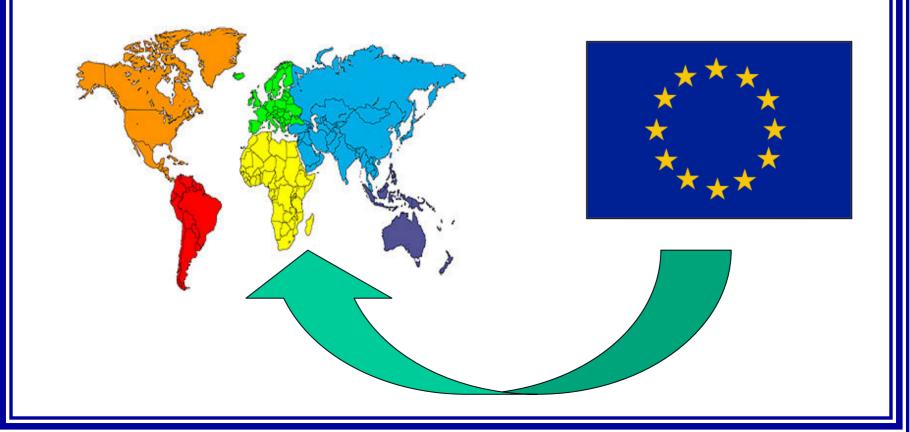
EU Raisin Imports from the United States



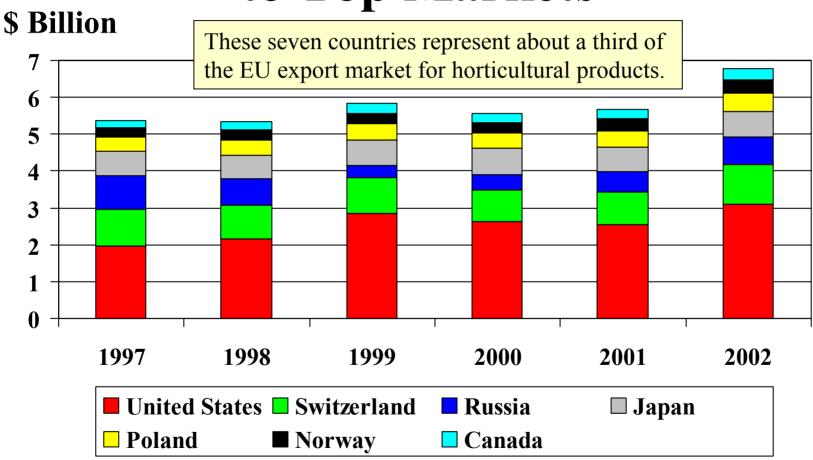
EU Raisin Imports from Turkey



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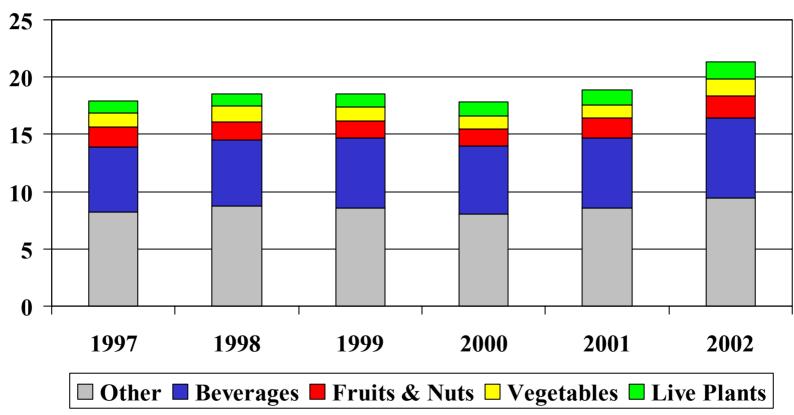


EU Horticultural Product Exports to Top Markets

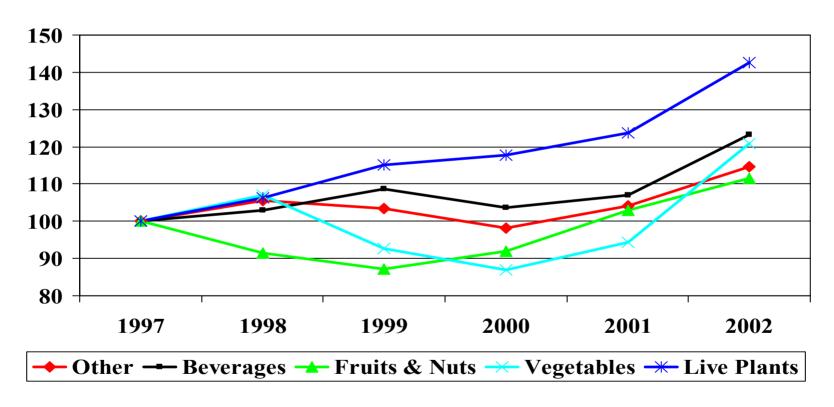


EU Exports of Horticultural Products by Category

\$ Billion



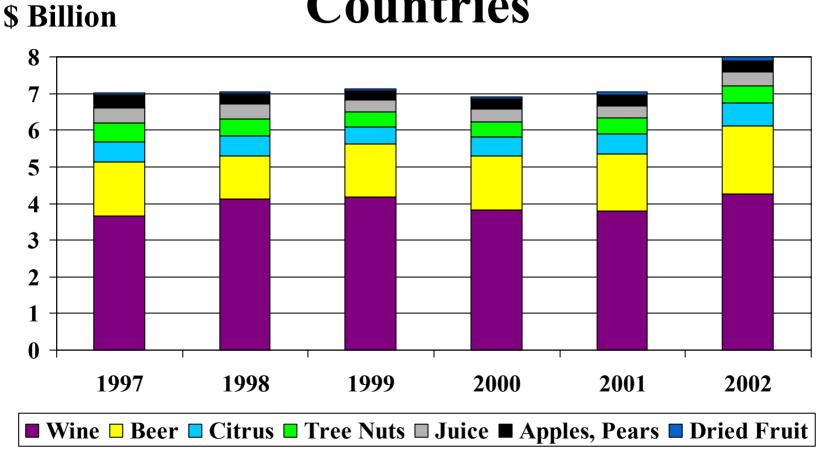
Indexed EU Export Values of Horticultural Product Categories



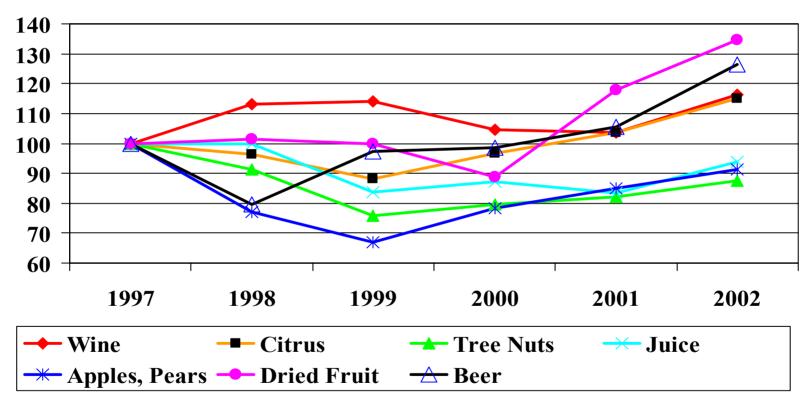
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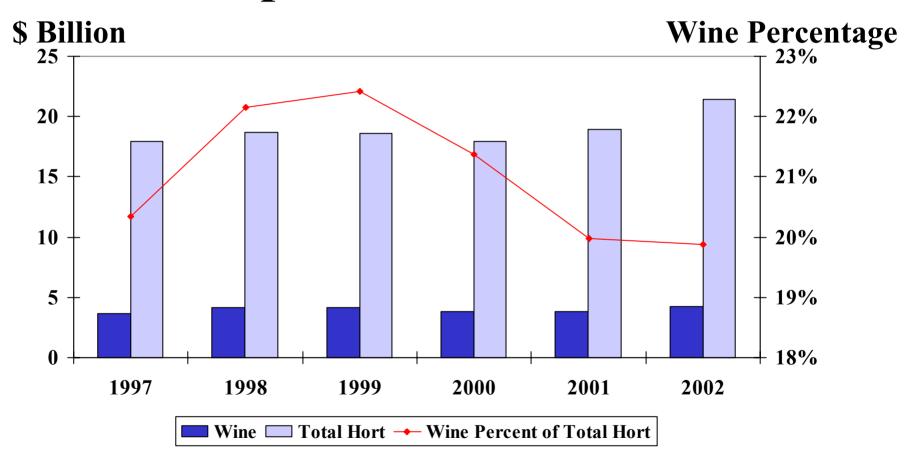
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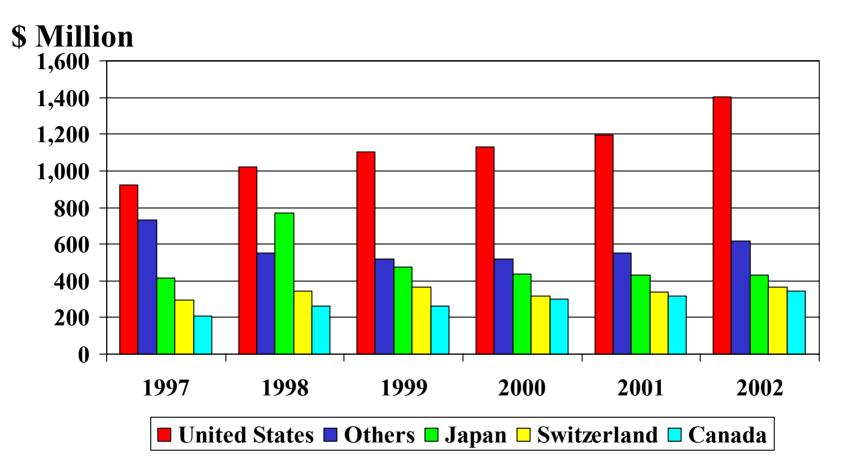
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Wine is the Primary Beverage Export from the EU

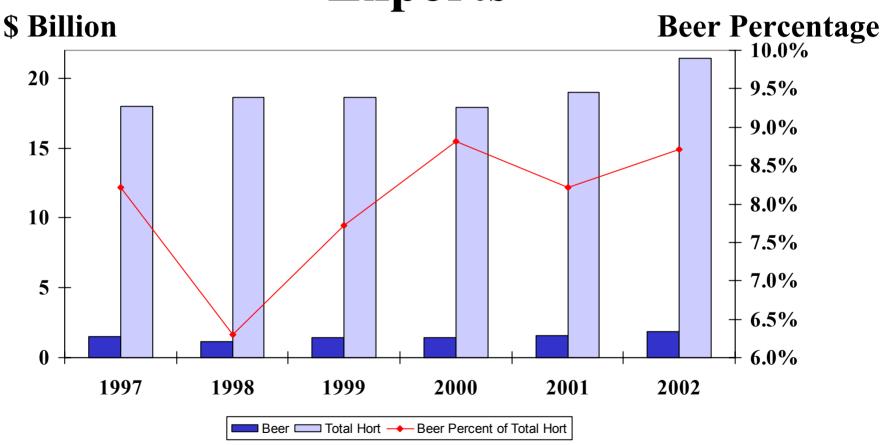


EU Wine Exports to Third Country Markets

(HS 2004.21- Table and Fortified Wine in Containers 2 Liters or Less)

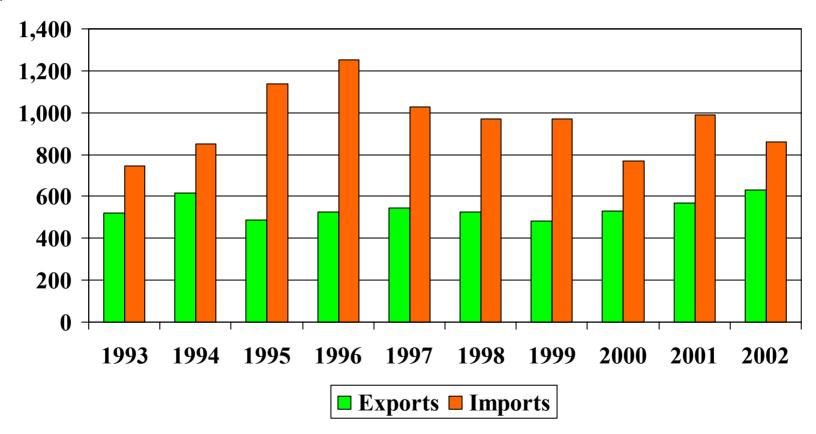


Beer Exports from the EU and Its Share of Total Horticultural Exports

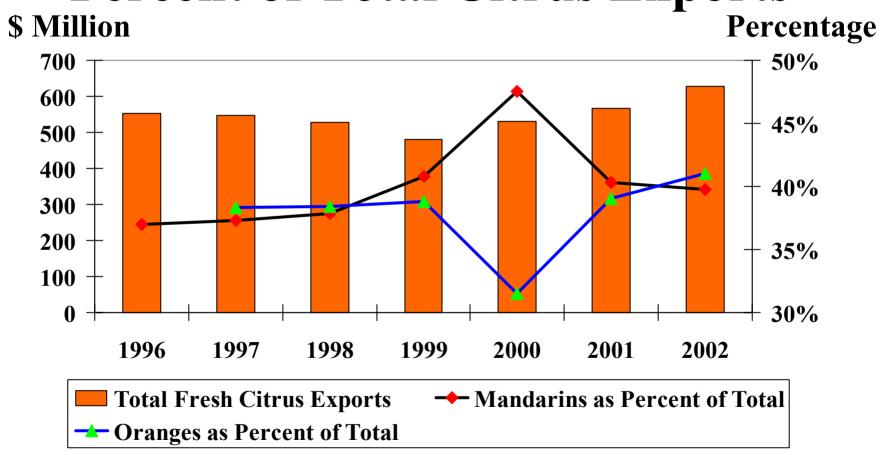


EU Trade in Fresh Citrus (HS 0805)

\$ Million



EU Fresh Citrus Exports: Mandarins and Oranges as a Percent of Total Citrus Exports



EU Export Refunds for Fruit & Vegetables- Actual Expenditures (million Euros)

	1999	2000	2001
Fresh Fruit & Vegetables	23.2	32.8	36.1
Processed Fruit & Vegetables	17.3	13.3	14.8
Total	40.5	46.1	50.9

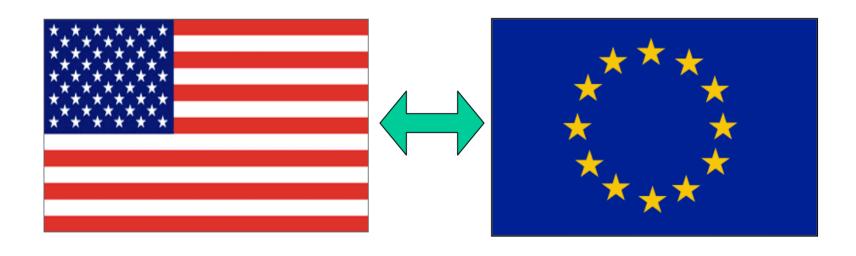
Source: European Commission – Financial Report 2001

EU Financial Aid for Fruit and Vegetables (million Euros)

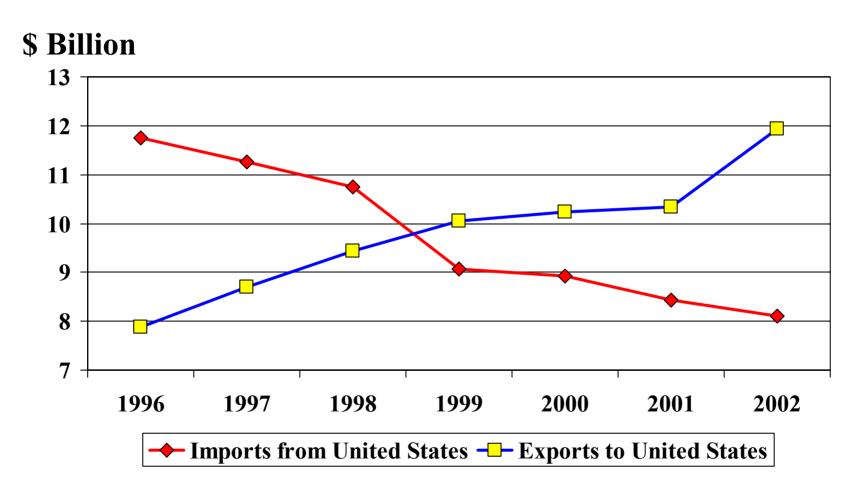
Production Aid For:	Actual Expenditure 2001	Appropriations 2002	Appropriations 2003
Processed tomatoes	223	285	279
Fruit-based products	71	83	86
Dried grapes (includes intervention)	113	127	112
Citrus fruits	170	231	249

Source: EU 2003 Budget

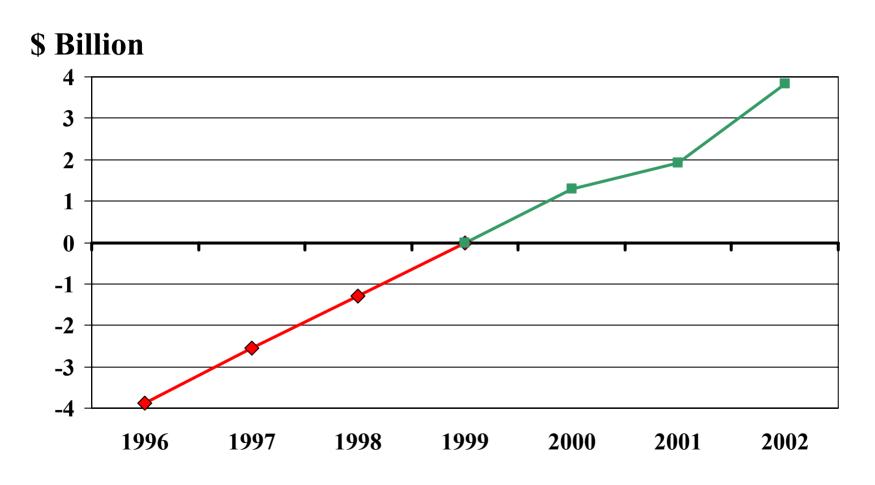
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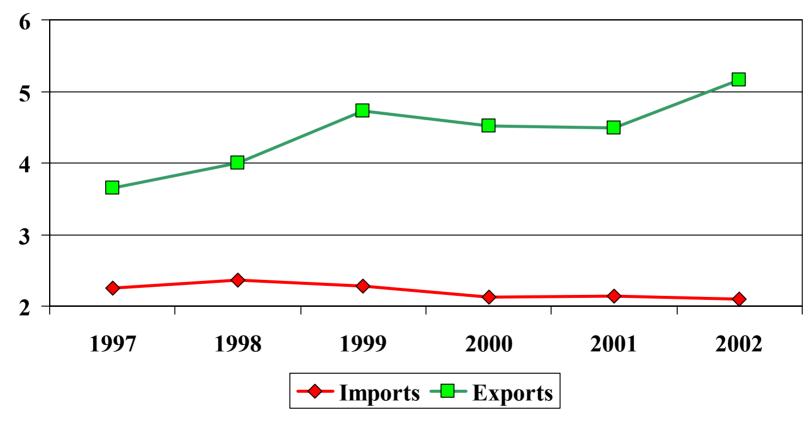


EU Net Agricultural Trade With the United States

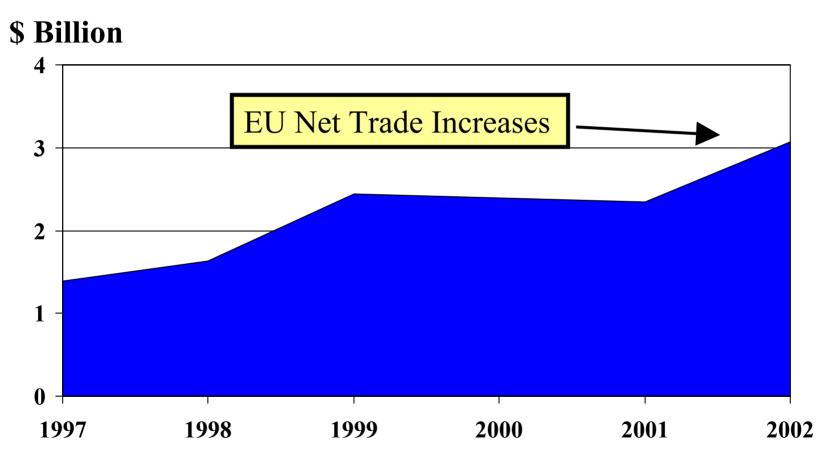


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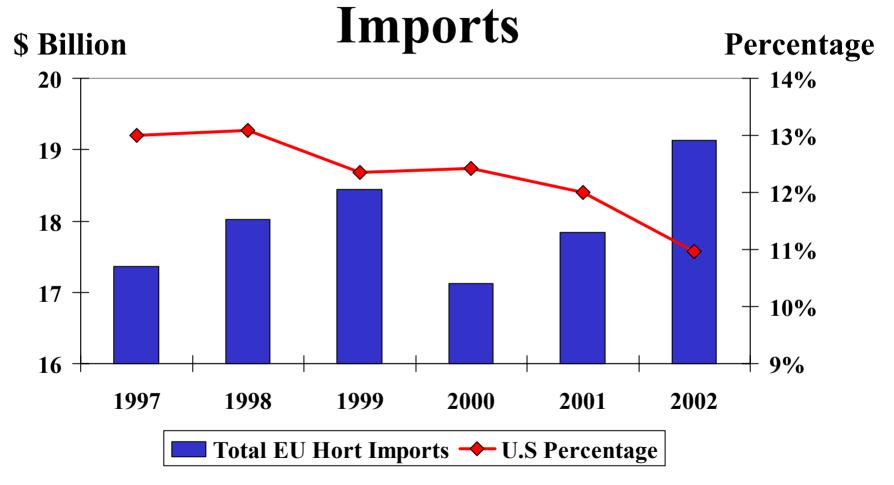
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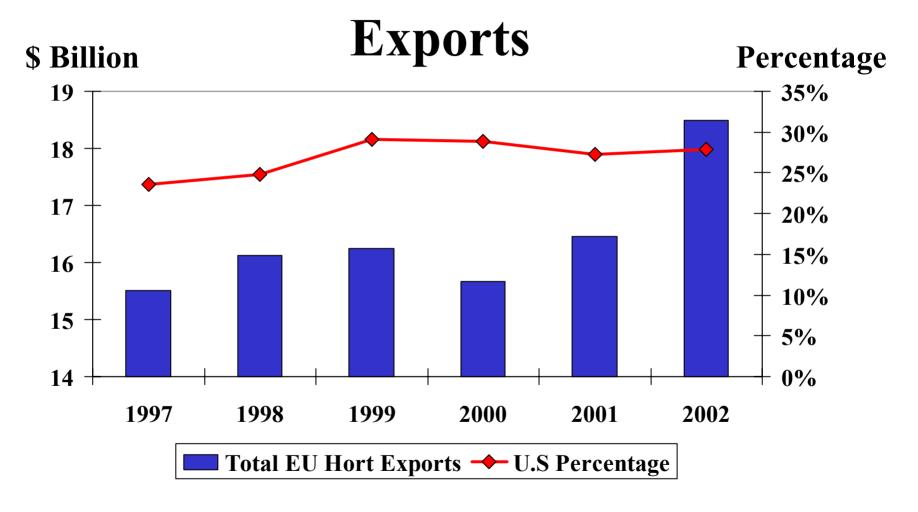
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EU Imports from the U.S. as a Percent of Total EU Horticultural

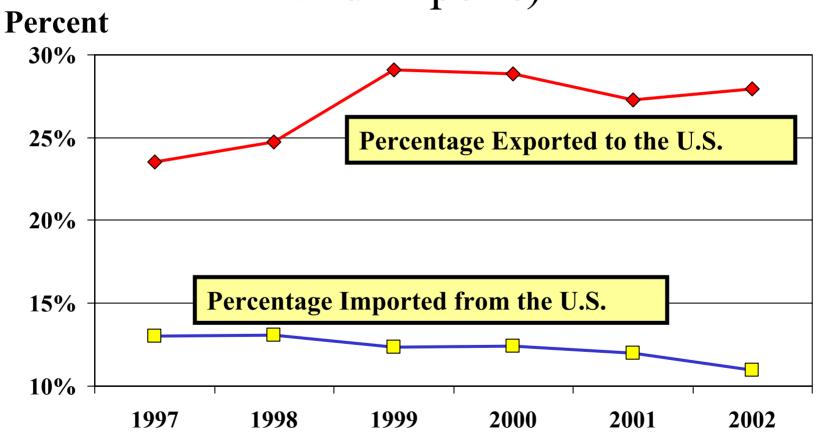


EU Exports to the U.S. as a Percent of Total EU Horticultural



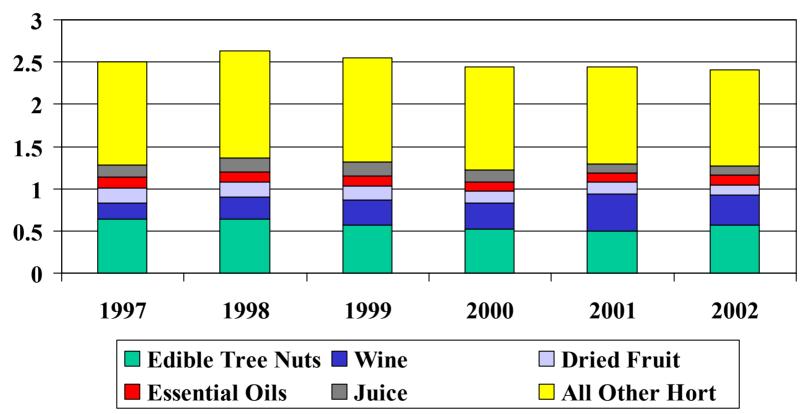
EU Horticultural Trade with the U.S

(U.S Percent of Total EU Horticultural Exports and Imports)

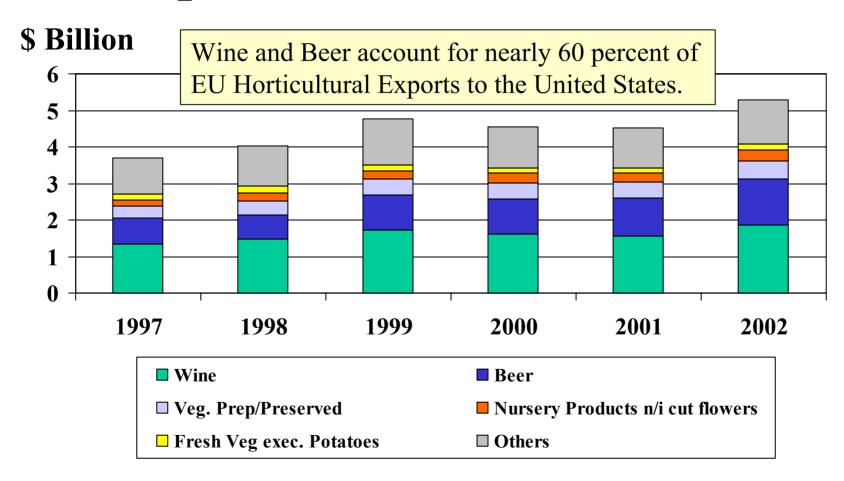


Top EU Horticultural Imports From the Unites States

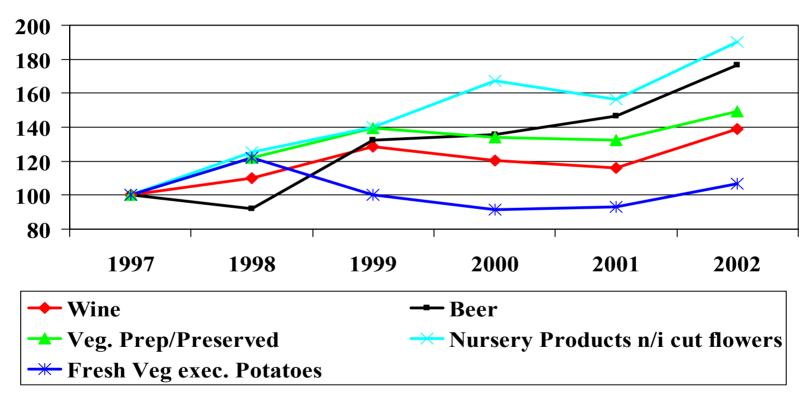
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Principal Horticultural Product Exports to the United States



Principle EU Horticultural Product Exports to the U.S. – Indexed 1/

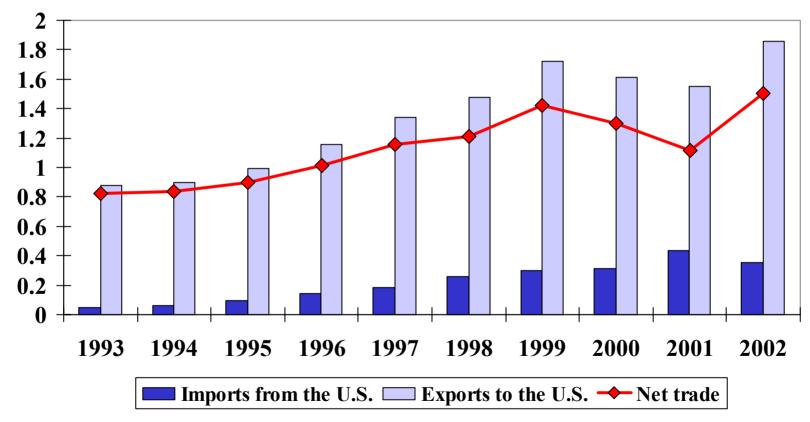


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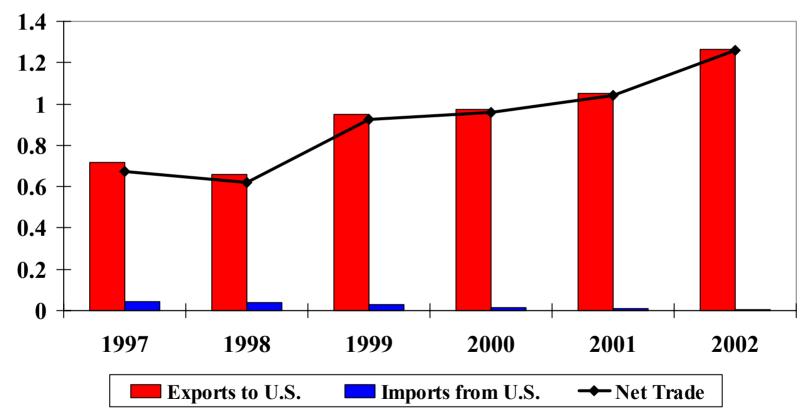
Net EU Wine Trade with the United States

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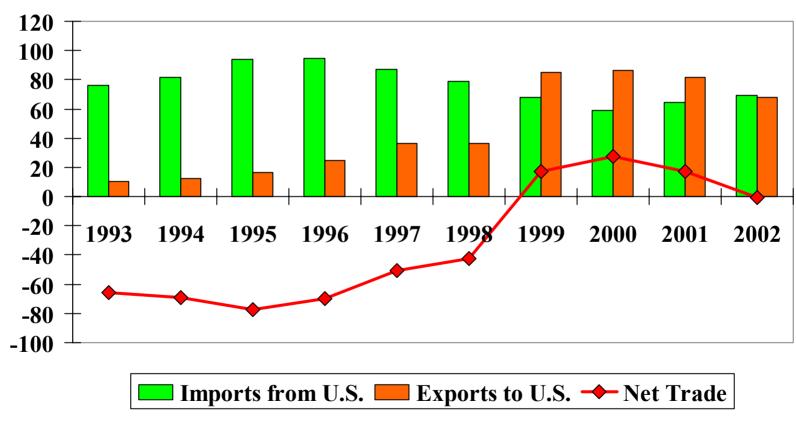
Net EU Beer Trade with the United States

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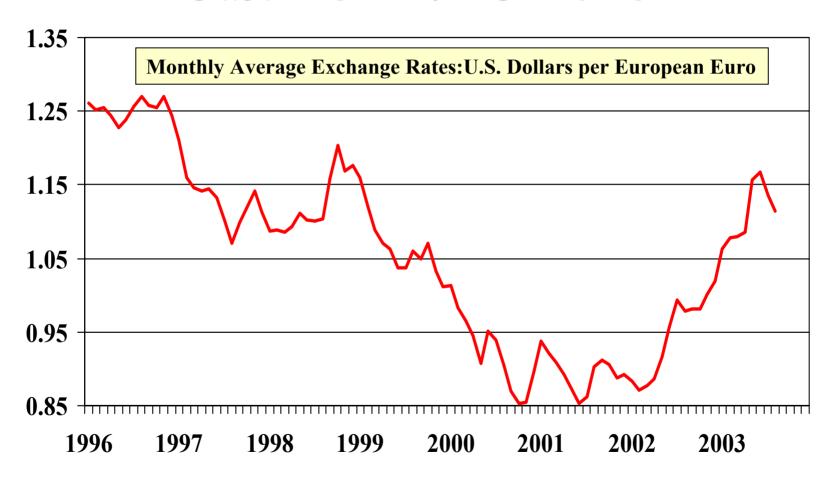


EU Net Fresh Citrus Trade with the United States

\$ Million



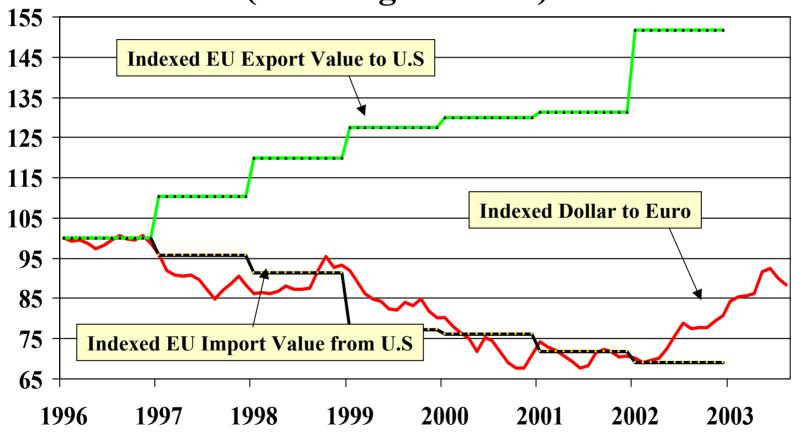
Historical Exchange Rates: U.S. Dollar/EU Euro



Source: Pacific Exchange Rate Service

Indexed Exchange Rates and EU/ US Trade Data

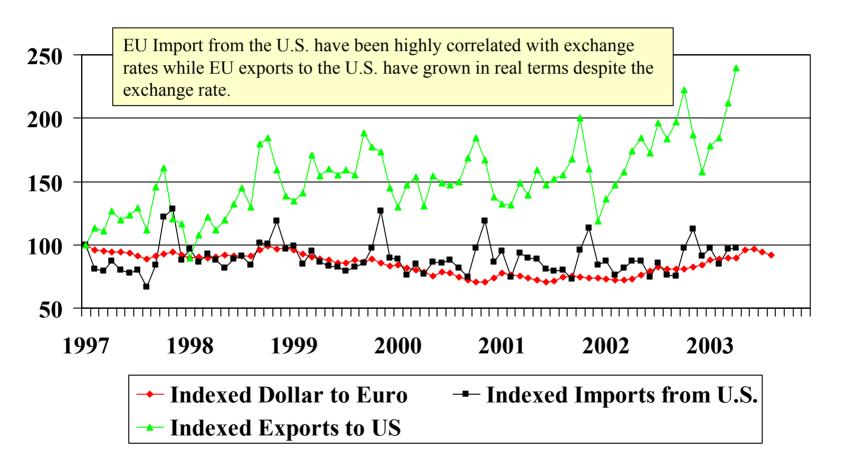
(Total Agriculture)



Source: Global Trade Information Services, Inc. and Pacific Exchange Rate Service

Monthly Indexed Exchange Rates and EU/ US Trade Data

(Total Horticulture)



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